GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Services - Water Resources Department - Random Verification of works taken up under Neeru Chettu Programme verified by the V&E in the erstwhile Vizianagaram District - Vigilance Report No.4 - Allegations in " Construction of check dam across Chinnagedda Pathruvada (V) in Gajapathinagaram (M) of Vizianagaram District (erstwhile)"(Work No.5)- **Smt. P. Raja Kumari,** the then Deputy Executive Engineer A.R. Sub- Division No.2, Gajapathinagaram, Vizianagaram District- Departmental Proceedings under Rule 20 of the A.P. Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 - Article of Charges - Issued.

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WATER RESOURCES (VIG.I/A1) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Rt. No.617 **Dated: 22.11.2023.**

Read the following:

1. From Director General (Vig. & Enft) & EO Prl.Secy., to Govt., General Administration (V&E) Department, Vijayawada, Vigilance Report No.04 (C.No.4916/V&E/Engg/2019-4, VZM), Dated:24.01.2023.
2. G.O.Rt.No.610, Water Resources (VIG.I/A1) Department, Dated: 22.11.2023.

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ORDER:

It is proposed to hold an inquiry against **Smt. P. Raja Kumari**, the then Deputy Executive Engineer A.R. Sub-Division No.2, Gajapathinagaram, Vizianagaram District in accordance with the procedure laid down under Rule 20 of the A.P Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 for the alleged charges specified herein.

2. The substance of the imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed statement of articles of charges (Annexure-I). A statement of imputations of misconduct or misbehaviour in support of articles of charges is enclosed (Annexure-II). A list of documents by which, and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charges are proposed to be sustained are also enclosed (Annexure-III & IV).

3. Smt**. P. Raja Kumari**, the then Deputy Executive Engineer A.R. Sub-Division No.2, Gajapathinagaram, Vizianagaram District is directed to submit her written statement of defence within (10) days from the receipt of this order and also state whether he desires to be heard in person.

4. **Smt. P. Raja Kumari**, the then Deputy Executive Engineer A.R. Sub-Division No.2, Gajapathinagaram, Vizianagaram District is informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those article of charge which are not specifically admitted herein. She should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge. She is further informed that adequate opportunity for perusal of records will be made available during the course of inquiry.

5. **Smt. P. Raja Kumari**, the then Deputy Executive Engineer A.R. Sub-Division No.2, Gajapathinagaram, Vizianagaram District is further informed that if she does not submit her written statement of defence on or before the stipulated time, or does not appear in person before the disciplinary authority or otherwise fails or refuses to comply with the provisions of rule 20 of the APCS (CC&A) Rules 1991, or the orders/directions issued in pursuance of said Rules, the inquiring authority may hold inquiry against her ex-parte.

6. Attention of **Smt. P. Raja Kumari**, the then Deputy Executive Engineer A.R. Sub- Division No.2, Gajapathinagaram, Vizianagaram District is invited to Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules 1964, under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior authority to further her interest in respect of matters pertaining to her service under the Govt. If any representation is received on her behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt with these

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proceedings it will be presumed that **Smt. P. Raja Kumari**, the then Deputy Executive Engineer A.R. Sub-Division No.2, Gajapathinagaram, Vizianagaram District is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at her instance and action will be taken against her for violation of Rule 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The receipt of this order should be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

SHASHI BHUSHAN KUMAR
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Smt. P. Raja Kumari, the then Deputy Executive Engineer A.R. Sub- Division No.2, Gajapathinagaram, Vizianagaram District (through the Engineer-in-Chief (AW), Water Resource Department, Vijayawada).

Copy to:
The Engineer-in-Chief (AW), Water Resources Department, Vijayawada with a request to submit the dated acknowledgement of the individual to the Government without any delay.

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SECTION OFFICER